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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action Mailed 2007 August 01, please amend the above application as follows:

The Applicant wishes to restrict the invention to Claims 2-6, 8 and 9 (GROUP II) and thus withdraw Claims 1 and 7.

It is the mounting system and its added features that qualify this invention for the application of a utility patent. The Applicant will reserve consideration of filing a Divisional Case for a methods claim at a later date.

In addition to clarification regarding the election restriction, the Applicant wishes to inform the Commissioner and Examiner of an address change. Please address all future correspondence to:

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The Applicant has amended the claims of this application so that they are proper, definite and define novel structure which is also unobvious. If, for any reason this application is not believed to be in full condition for allowance, the applicant respectfully requests the constructive assistance and suggestions of the Examiner pursuant to M.P. E. P. § 2173.02 and § 707.07(j) in order that the undersigned can place this application in allowable condition as soon as possible and without the need for further proceedings.

Sincerely,

Darcie W. Perkins

Darcie Perkins
Applicant